



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Elliott K. Stava

For

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METHOD OF WELDING WITH TWO

ELECTRODES

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APPLICANT'S RESPONSE TO REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed September 7, 2004, Applicant submits the following comments concerning such allowance.

Applicant agrees that for at least the reasons identified by the Examiner, the above-identified patent application is allowable. However, Applicant does not agree that the identified reasons for allowance are the only reasons for allowance of the claims in the above-identified patent application over the cited art of record.

Respectfully submitted, FAY, SHARPE FAGAN, MINNICH & McKEE

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